

Lieutenant-Colonel Merritt is now reported to be a Prisoner of War.

To this Commanding Officer's personal daring, the success of his unit's operations and the safe re-embarkation of a large portion of it were chiefly due.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
2nd October, 1942.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for skill and resource in the combined attack on Dieppe:

To be Additional Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Commander John David Luce, D.S.O., Royal Navy.
Commander Richard Lindsay Stephen Gaisford, Royal Navy.

ADMIRALTY.

*Whitehall, S.W.1.
2nd October, 1942.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following Appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, and to approve the following Reward and Awards:—

For daring and resolution in command of the Naval Forces in the combined attack on Dieppe:

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order:

Captain John Hughes-Hallett, Royal Navy.

For gallantry, daring and skill in the combined attack on Dieppe:

Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

Lieutenant - Commander Edward Nigel Pumphrey, D.S.O., D.S.C., Royal Navy.

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:

Commander Hubert Victor Perry McClintock, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander Ronald John Hanson, D.S.C., Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander John Alverdus Lowe, D.S.C., R.N.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Herbert Reginald Hewett Williams, R.N.V.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Henry Thomas Buckee, R.N.V.R.
Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant Miles Patrick Martin, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., R.N.V.R.

The Distinguished Service Cross.

Commander Derek Bathurst Wyburd, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander Earl Beatty, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant-Commander John Hartley Dathan, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant - Commander Colin William McMullen, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant - Commander Hugh Hedworth Hubback Mulleneux, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant - Commander John Percival Scatchard, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant-Commander John Henry Wallace, Royal Navy.

Acting Lieutenant - Commander William Whitfield, R.N.R.

Lieutenant Peter Barthrop North Lewis, Royal Navy.

Lieutenant James Antony Syms, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant William Basil Willett, Royal Navy.
Lieutenant James John Simon Yorke, Royal Navy.

Temporary Lieutenant Montagu John Proby Armstrong, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Dennis Frederick Brown, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Gilbert Alfred Byerley, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Robert Wilmot Howarth Chancellor, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant John Henry Coste, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Alexander Douglas Fear, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant William Charles Hewitt, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Harry Leslie, R.N.V.R.
Temporary Lieutenant Peter Ralph Mackinnon, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant George Phillips, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Stanley Edgar Sharpe, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant Dennis Rupert Stephens, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Lieutenant George Alexander Wright, R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant (E) Albert James Lee, Royal Navy.
Probationary Temporary Surgeon Lieutenant Thomas Pollard Storey, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Stanley Allanson, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Jack Frederick Brigden, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Robert Trevor Davey, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Raymond Sidney Evans, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Francis John Keep, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant John Whitehead, R.N.V.R.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant Andrew Allan Wedd, R.C.N.V.R.

Mr. Cyril George Cooper Gouge, Commissioned Engineer, Royal Navy.

Temporary Skipper Thomas Andrew Cook, T.S.905, R.N.R.

The Conspicuous Gallantry Medal.

Ordinary Seaman Thomas Albert Lee, C/JX.299940.

While the craft in which Ordinary Seaman Lee was serving was beached for some fifteen minutes landing tanks, under concentrated fire, her guns were kept in action against an enemy gun position and houses on the beach, until all the guns crews had been killed or wounded. Although gravely wounded himself, his cheerful courage and devotion to duty were an example to the rest. He carried on until the guns were silenced and then crawled away to report to his Skipper.

The Distinguished Service Medal.

Chief Engine Room Artificer Bertram Stanley Brading, P/M.36662.